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SUBJECT: DEATHS: U.S. CITIZEN: ANDREW VOIGHT

TO: MRS. MARY ANN VOIGHT P.O. BOX 35 CHULUOTA, FLORIDA TEL: 305-365-6379

1. IT IS WITH PROFOUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR HUSBAND, ANDREW VOIGHT. BAHAMAS POLICE INFORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AT NASSAU ON 6-28-78 OF HIS DEATH BY BURNING ON 6-28-78 AT GREAT HARBOUR CAY, BERRY ISLANDS, THE BAHAMAS WHEN THE TOWN HOUSE HE WAS RENTING CAUGHT FIRE.

- 2. YOUR HUSBAND WAS IDENTIFIED BY LOCAL BAHAMAS POLICE.
- 3. REGRETFULLY, I MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED TO MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. WO WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WISH TO HAVE YOUR HUSBAND'S CREMATED REMAINS RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. IF SO, PREPARATION AND AIR SHIPMENT OF CREMATED REMAINS TO FLORIDA WOULD COST \$500 (FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS). THE COST OF CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL IS \$450.00 (FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS). ALL OF THESE COSTS ARE APPROXIMATE.

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4. AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR DECISION, PLEASE TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS: TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO AMERICAN EMBASSY, NASSAU, BAHAMAS AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE. STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELEGRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT IF SHIPMENT DESIRED. (B) TELEGRAPH REQUIRED FUNDS

SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY THROUGH DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON D.C., FOR AMERICAN EMBASSY, NASSAU, BAHAMAS, OR (C) IF YOU ARE HAVINO THE CREMATED REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE UNITED STATES, YOU MAY WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE THESE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

5. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT. WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY THREE (3) DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED BY THIS OFFICE WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

6. LOCAL AUTHORITIES REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN CONNECTION WITH PREPARATION OF DEATH CERTIFICATES: FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF THE DECEASED. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CNTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION OF THIS POST BY PHONING NASSAU (AREA CODE 809-322-4753).

7. BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT. AMEMBASSY NASSAU. SCHWARTZ

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